

**ACORN**SOFT



**A word processor for the  
BBC Microcomputer**

**Reference Card**

## **SHIFT with arrow keys**

Horizontally	Moves the cursor to the beginning of the next or previous word or the end of a line if it comes first.
Vertically	Moves the cursor a screen depth.

## **CTRL with arrow keys**

Horizontally	Moves the cursor to the beginning or end of the line.
Vertically	Moves the cursor to the beginning or end of the text.

**COPY** Copies a marked block of text at the cursor position.

**SHIFT COPY** Inserts the current ruler on a new line at the cursor position.

**DELETE** Deletes the character to the left of the cursor. In insert mode, the text is closed up.

**ESCAPE** Switches between the text screen and the command screen.

## **Extended highlights**

To use these, you should have the stored command HT 2 130 in the text, which switches the highlight 2 code sent by VIEW to the printer driver from 129 to 130. The effects available will be as follows.

-	Switch underlining on or off. Automatically cancelled at end of line.
***	Switch bold on or off.
*	Next character is part of extended character set:
*-	Begin subscripting. Automatically cancelled at end of line.
**	Begin superscripting. Automatically cancelled at end of line.
**-	Return to normal printing after superscripting or subscripting.
*--	Switch alternative font on or off.
*-*	Switch italics on or off.
*---	Reset all functions to off. Use at the start of all documents.
--	Used by ViewIndex only.

## **Additional notes**

All filing system commands such as \*COPY and operating system commands such as \*TV and \*FX can be used from the command screen. See the relevant user guides for further details.

1 and 0 are synonyms for ON and OFF in the command screen and in stored commands.